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FOR: **USE OF AN IBAT INHIBITOR FOR THE
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

In response to the Action mailed May 2, 2007, please amend the above identified application as follows:

A replacement Abstract of the Disclosure is presented on a separate page as page 2 of this paper.

An amendment to the Title begins on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 4 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.

IN THE TITLE:

Please amend the Title of the Invention to read as follows:

**USE OF AN IBAT INHIBITOR FOR THE TREATMENT OR OF PROPHYLAXIS OF
CONSTIPATION**